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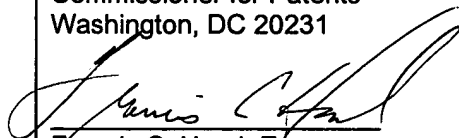
It is respectfully requested that the Shortened Statutory Period for responding to the Final Rejection dated August 7, 2001 be extended one month to December 7, 2001. A Notice of Appeal is being submitted herewith.

A check in the amount of \$55.00 (small entity) is being submitted herewith. Should any additional fees be required, please charge such to deposit account 03-0678.

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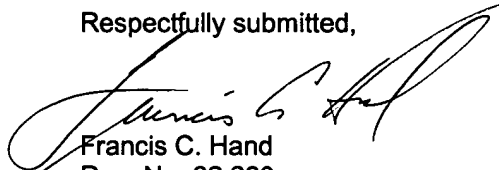
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